

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q91310

Masafumi SAKUMA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/561,215

Group Art Unit: 2834

Confirmation No.: 4045

Examiner: John K. KIM

Filed: December 19, 2005

For: THREE-PHASE SYNCHRONOUS RELUCTANCE MOTOR

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of May 14, 2008 to September 14, 2008.

The statutory fee of \$120.00 is being submitted via EFS Payment Screen. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,



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